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In re the Application of: KUTSUNA, Takaaki et al.

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Group Art Unit: 1712

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Examiner: Christopher M. Keehan

P.T.O. Confirmation No.: 6229

**FOR: COMPOSITION FOR COATING HAVING A GAS BARRIER PROPERTY,
COATING AND COATED FILM HAVING A GAS BARRIER PROPERTY USED
THE SAME**

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 2, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.

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